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(ஆ) அப்படியானால், தொகுதிகள் எந்த அடிப்படையில் பிரிக்கப் படும் ?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM : (*a*) No, Sir.

(*b*) Does not arise.

Cases of death due to sunstroke

* 35 *Q.*—SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Will the Hon. Minister for Revenue be pleased to state whether there had been any cases of death due to sunstroke this summer in our State?

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU : No such case has been brought to the notice of the Health Department.

MR. SPEAKER : When I call out the number of a question, may I request the hon. Member concerned to please get up and say, ' I put the question '. As the Hon. the Minister for Industries is not here just now, we may take up question No. 36 a little later.

Pension for the employees of municipalities

* 37 *Q.*—SRI K. VINAYAKAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Local Administration be pleased to state whether the Government have any proposal to extend the pension scheme to the employees of municipalities as is done in the case of teachers employed under municipalities?

THE HON. SRIMATHI LOURDHAMMAL SIMON : No, Sir.

SRI K. VINAYAKAM : When the Hon. Minister for Local Administration visited the municipality of Tuticorin, was a representation given to her by the employees of that municipality requesting that the same concession may be given to them?

THE HON. SRIMATHI LOURDHAMMAL SIMON : A representation was given but after considering it, it was found that it was not possible to apply the pension scheme to them.

SRI N. MARUDACHALAM : ஸார், முனிஸிபல் உபாத்தியாயர்களுக்கு பென்ஷன் திட்டம் எப்போது அமுலுக்கு வரும் ? இதை உடனடியாக அமுல் நடத்த ஏற்பாடுகள் செய்யப்படுமா ?

THE HON. SRIMATHI LOURDHAMMAL SIMON : இதற்குத் தனிக் கேள்வி கேட்கவேண்டும்.

SRI K. VINAYAKAM : May I know what special reasons weighed with the Government in rejecting tre petition for the same concession being shown to the other employees of the municipality?

THE HON. SRIMATHI LOURDHAMMAL SIMON : The financial position is the reason. We are unable to meet now the demands relating to even such amenities as water-supply and so on. If we take up this also, there will not be funds.